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In re application of

Norio MINAMITANI et al.

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Sir:

A "Second" Request to "Withdraw Holding of Abandonment" was filed with the Patent Office on August 1, 2006 (a copy of the date stamped postcard receipt is enclosed).

Please advise the undersigned Attorney of Record as to the present status of the above identified application and when an Office Action on the merits can be expected.

Respectfully submitted,

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Receipt of the following papers is acknowledged:

"Second Request" Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment

Copy of date-stamped postcard receipt (7/21/00)

Copy of Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment (2 pages) filed 7/21/00

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Amendment

Letter Re Proposed Drawing Amendments w/Figs. 1-3

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